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The limits of x are  $ny=x_2$  and  $n(c-y)=x_1$ ; of y, 0 and  $\frac{1}{2}c$ .

But c=12, R=4.

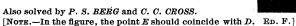
$$V=32\pi-\frac{128}{3}$$
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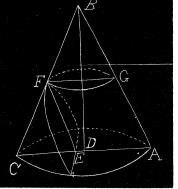
Volume of cone= $\frac{1}{3}\pi R^2c=64\pi$ .

... Required vol. =  $64\pi - (32\pi - \frac{128}{3}) = 32\pi + \frac{128}{3}$ 

=143.1978 cubic feet,

=115.07 bushels.





65. Proposed by F. P. MATZ, D. Sc., Ph. D., Professor of Mathematics and Astronomy, Irving College, Mechanicsburg, Pa.

Show that the path of a projectile moving with a constant velocity is an inverted catenary of equal strength.

No solution has yet been received.

# PROBLEMS FOR SOLUTION.

## ARITHMETIC.

102. Proposed by ALOIS F. KOVARIK, Professor of Mathematics, Decorah Institute, Decorah, Iowa.

A's age is to B's as 2:3. 20 years from now their ages will be to each other as 4:5. What are their ages, respectively?

103. Proposed by WALTER H. DRANE, Graduate Student, Harvard University, 65 Hammond Street, Cambridge, Mass.

Find proceeds of a note discounted at a bank for 10 years at 10%. What is the meaning of the result?

\*\*\* Solutions of these problems should be sent to B. F. Finkel not later than January 10.

#### ALGEBRA.

92. Proposed by ELMER SCHUYLER, High Bridge, N. J.

Given 
$$x^2 - yz = 1$$
;  $y^2 - xz = 2$ ;  $z^2 - xy = 3$ . Find  $x, y$ , and  $z$ .

## 93. Proposed by CHARLES CARROLL CROSS, Libertytown, Md.

Given  $x^x+y^y=285$ , and  $y^x-x^y=14$ , to find the values of x and y. [From Bonnycastle's Algebra, 1841.]

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#### GEOMETRY.

## 108. Proposed by NELSON L. RORAY, Bridgeton, N. J.

ABC is a triangle.  $O_1$ ,  $O_2$ ,  $O_3$  centers of escribed circles. Prove altitudes of triangle  $O_1O_2O_3$  are concurrent at center of inscribed circle.

## 109. Proposed by CHARLES CARROLL CROSS, Libertytown, Md.

Two circles, radii in ratio 3:1, centers A and  $O_1$  respectively, are drawn tangent externally to each other and internally to a given circle O, and on the same diameter;  $O_2$  and  $O_2$ ' are drawn tangent internally to O and externally to A and  $O_1$ ;  $O_3$  and  $O_3$ ' are drawn tangent internally to O and externally to A and  $O_2$ ;  $O_3$  and  $O_3$ ' are drawn tangent internally to O and externally to O and  $O_2$ , O0, and  $O_3$ ' are drawn tangent internally to O1, O2, O3, and  $O_3$ ', respectively; and so on. Prove  $O_4$ , O3,  $O_4$ ';  $O_5$ 7,  $O_5$ 7;  $O_9$ 9,  $O_8$ 9, and  $O_{10}$ 9,  $O_{10}$ 9,  $O_{10}$ 9, are collinear. [The letters apply to the centers of the circles.]

## 110. Proposed by P. S. BERG, A. M., Principal of Schools, Larimore, N. D.

If the three face angles of the vertical triedral angle of a tetraedron are right angles, and the lengths of the lateral edges are represented by a, b, and c, and of the altitude by p, then  $1/p^2 = 1/a^2 + 1/b^2 + 1/c^2$ . [Chauvenet's Geometry.] \*\*\* Solutions of these problems should be sent to B. F. Finkel not later than January 10.

### CALCULUS.

## 83. Proposed by J. SCHEFFER, A. M., Hagerstown, Md.

From a given point, P, in the base AB of a triangle, to inscribe in the latter the minimum triangle, if its angle at P is given.

## 84. Proposed by C. HORNUNG, A. M., Professor of Mathematics, Heidelberg University. Tiffin, Ohio.

Find the equation of the curve upon which a given ellipse must roll in order that one of its foci may describe a straight line.

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#### MECHANICS.

### 77. Proposed by ELMER SCHUYLER, High Bridge, N. J.

At what elevation must a shell be projected with a velocity of 400 feet that it may range 7500 feet on a plane which descends at an angle of 30°?

## 78. Proposed by ALOIS F. KOVARIK, Professor of Mathematics, Decorah Institute, Decorah, Iowa.

A cone and a cylinder having equal heights and equal circular bases are filled with